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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6557 NOTE PREPARED: Dec 18, 2006

BILL NUMBER: HB 1610 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Legislators' defined contribution plan.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Elrod BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> This bill repeals a provision concerning state contributions to the Legislators' Defined Contribution Fund. It makes conforming changes.

Effective Date: July 1, 2007.

Explanation of State Expenditures: This bill eliminates the state contribution to the Legislators' Defined Contribution Fund equal to 20% of an individual legislator's annual salary. Below is a table which shows four years of total taxable income for members of the General Assembly and the corresponding required 20% contribution. Eliminating the 20% contribution will save the state, on average, about \$1,004,000 per year. The fund affected is state General Fund.

Calendar Year	Taxable Income	20 % State Contribution
2002	\$4,379,341	\$875,868
2003	\$5,156,259	\$1,031 252
2004	\$5,162,186	\$1,032,437
2005	\$5,383,150	\$1,076,630
Total	\$20,080,936	\$4,016,187
4-year average	\$5,020,234	\$1,004,047

Explanation of State Revenues:

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Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: General Assembly.

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: Salary data for members of the General Assembly for the years shown.

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